

Current Storage as of March 24, 2009

The following table shows current conditions in five key CVP reservoirs as of March 24 for 2009, 2008, and 2007, as well as the 15-year average:

| CVP Reservoir Storage Comparisons for 2009, 2008, 2007, and 15-Year Average As of March 24 for Each Year – Storages Listed in Millions of Acre-feet (MAF) | | | | | | | | |
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| CVP Reservoir Capacities | 2009 | % of Capacity | 2008 | % of Capacity | 2007 | % of Capacity | 15-Year Average | % of 15-Year Average* |
| Shasta 4.552 | 2.785 | 61% | 2.930 | 64% | 3.999 | 88% | 3.688 | 76% |
| New Melones 2.420 | 1.288 | 53% | 1.515 | 63% | 1.988 | 82% | 1.720 | 75% |
| Trinity 2.448 | 1.167 | 48% | 1.570 | 64% | 2.004 | 82% | 1.944 | 60% |
| Folsom 0.977 | .711 | 73% | .432 | 44% | .681 | 70% | .615 | 116% |
| Fed. San Luis 0.966 | .410 | 42% | .794 | 82% | .769 | 80% | .893 | 46% |
| Total 11.363 | 6.361 | 56% | 7.241 | 64% | 9.441 | 83% | 8.860 | 72% |

* This percentage is the current March 24, 2009, storage divided by the 15-Year Average storage.

As a comparison of current conditions to past drought years, storage on March 24 of the drought years 1992 and 1977, the total CVP storage/percent of capacity for these five reservoirs was: 1992 — 4.980 MAF / 44 percent of capacity; 1977 — 3.375 MAF / 30 percent of capacity. The historic low carryover storage from one water year to the next was in 1977 at 1.1 MAF.

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